



NEWS RELEASE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

BLASTING WORK TO CLOSE ROUTE 96 NEAR HAPPY CAMP

REDDING – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) District 2 will perform blasting on the storm damaged/slide repair project 16 miles south of Happy Camp.

State Route 96 will close between 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 4, while crews set and detonate explosive charges to remove large rocks on the slide slope.

Motorists are advised to use alternate routes or plan extra time to travel. Changeable Message Signs have been activated to warn motorists of the closure.

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NOTE: An electronic version of this news release is available on the Internet at the following web address: <http://caltrans2.info/roadinfo.htm>

